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#### TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER OST.P.US0002 DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) seg 37 CFR 1.5) **CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/US2004/025498 E 08 August 2003 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PRIORITY DAT 06 August 2004 TITLE OF INVENTION Agricultural Compositions for Through Bark Application to Woody Plants

APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Stringfellow Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include 3. 🖾 items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. The US has been elected (Article 31). 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). has been communicated by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. is attached hereto. a. b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). a. have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made. 8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. 🔲 An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 13. A preliminary amendment. 14. An application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. 

☐ A substitute specification. 16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825. 18. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). A second copy of the English language translation of the International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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20.  Other items or information:									
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21. 🛛 Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a))						\$	\$300.00	<u> </u>	
22. ☑ Examination fee (37 CFR 1.492(c))  If the written opinion prepared by ISA/US or the international preliminary examination report prepared by IPEA/US indicates all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)							\$200.00		
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Total claims	22 -:	0 =	2	X	\$50.00	\$	\$100.00		
Independent	1 -	3 =	0	x	\$200.00	\$	\$0.00		
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TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =							\$700.00		
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2.						\$	\$350.00		
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	APPLICATION TO WOODY PLANTS	Mimberly A. Bright, Secy. to Arthur M. Reginelli					

## TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Enclosed are the following documents:

Specification, Claims and Abstract (17 pages)
Transmittal Letter Concerning a Filing Under 35 U.S.C. § 371
Copy of International Search Report
Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted)
Credit Card Payment Form
Return Receipt Postcard

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